Ordinances Amending Sections 5.43.020 and 5.43.050 pertaining to Wearing of Masks in Public Places

City Council

August 11, 2020





Background

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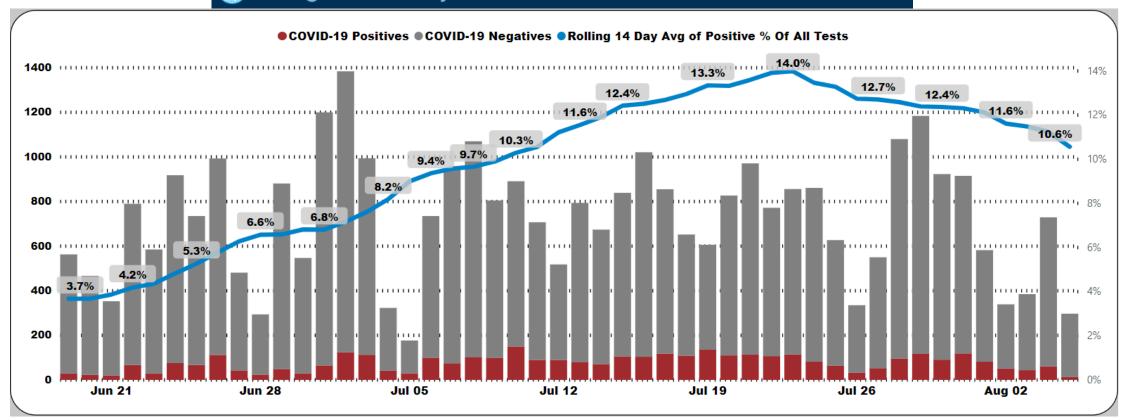
- On July 3, 2020, the City Council adopted a mandatory mask ordinance, which required citizens to wear masks when in public places.
- The current ordinance is set to expire on August 11, 2020.



Background Cont.



Sedgwick County COVID-19 Dashboard (Updated 8/6/20 1:45 pm)





Ordinance Specifics

- The ordinance is amended to exclude indoor or outdoor spaces or areas in public or private schools from the ordinance requirements.
- The ordinance extends the requirements that masks be worn in other public places until September 8, 2020.
- Due to the prior ordinance expiring on August 11, 2020, it is necessary to declare a public emergency and pass the ordinance on first reading.



Recommendation Action

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• It is recommended that the City Council declare an emergency and approve the Ordinances Amending Sections 5.43.020 and 5.43.050 pertaining to Wearing of Masks in Public Places on the first reading.



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